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September 30, 2005

**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Chief Judge Sue L. Robinson  
Chambers of the Honorable Sue L. Robinson  
United States District Court for the District of  
Delaware  
J. Caleb Boggs Federal Building  
844 N. King Street  
Room 6124, Lockbox 31  
Wilmington, DE 19801

Re: **Panolam Industries, Inc., et al. v. Claybrook (Civil Action No. 1:04-cv-01265 (SLR))**

Dear Chief Judge Robinson:

Enclosed, please find a Stipulated Briefing Schedule Regarding Appeal Of Bankruptcy Court's Order Denying Consolidated Defendants' Motions To Dismiss The Trustee's Preference Complaints As Barred By The Bankruptcy Code § 546(a)(1) Statute Of Limitations (the "Briefing Schedule") in the above-referenced consolidated appeal (the "Appeal"). The Briefing Schedule has been executed by counsel for Panolam Industries, Inc. and Mr. Claybrook.

I have also caused this letter and the Briefing Schedule to be filed on the electronic docket maintained by the Clerk of Court. If the Briefing Schedule meets with Your Honor's approval, I respectfully request that Your Honor sign and enter the Briefing Schedule at Your Honor's earliest convenience.

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As always, please do not hesitate to contact me should Your Honor have any questions or concerns.

Respectfully Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Carignan", with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

James C. Carignan

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Enclosure

cc: Sheldon K. Rennie, Esq. (Hand Delivery)  
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